HOUSE No. 7

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES ONE ASHBURTON PLACE BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS 02108

The Honorable Steven T. James

Clerk of the House of Representatives

State House, Room 145

Boston, Massachusetts 02133

November 5, 2008

Dear Mr. Clerk:

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 33 of Chapter 30 of the General Laws, I hereby submit the attached legislative recommendations by the Executive Office of Health and Human Services for consideration during the 2009/2010 legislative session.

Sincerely,

JUDYANN BIGBY, M.D., Secretary.

Recommendation (accompanied by bill) of the Executive Office of Health and Human Services (House, No. 7). Health Care Financing.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand and Nine.

AN ACT CHANGING THE CHAPTER 58 BI-MONTHLY IMPLEMENTATION REPORT TO AN ANNUAL REPORT.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

- SECTION 1. Section 132 of ch. 58 of the acts of 2006 is amended, in the third sentence by
- adding at the end thereof, after the words: "Said report shall be updated bi-monthly thereafter",
- 3 the following:— "; provided that two years from the date of passage of this act said report shall
- 4 be updated annually and four years from the passage of this act said report shall no longer be
- 5 required.".